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MANPOWER SITUATION IN SUCCELAVIA

INDUSTRIAL MANPOWER SITUATION -- Rad, No 146, 17 Sep 48

Twenty-six percent more to the needed by the end of this year to mine soal, and 28 percent more to the nonferrous metals. The plan for recruiting skilled labor in the mines has been realized only 66 percent, and the plan for semiskilled labor only 32 percent

In some areas however, where a recruiting organization has been set up, good results have been obtained. For example, in the Strumics district of Macedonia the July recruiting quota was exceeded by 72 percent, and in the Djevdjelija district the plan had been met 327 percent by 25 August 1948. In Bosnia and Hercegovina two thirds of the new labor recruits were absorbed into forestry, and the plan for the mining industry was met only 30 percent. In the South Morava district of Screie 1,500 workers were recruited for construction during a month and a malf, and in the Muraka Sobota district of Slovenia 2,500 workers have been recruited. Some districts of Croatia also have done well.

Poor results have been achieved, for example, in Caribrod, Hove Pazar, and Kladovo, where out of a quota of 500 only a few new workers were obtained. Only seven were found at Boelljgrad, which had a quota of 700 - In Novo Mesto the recruiting plan was met only 20 percent, and in Dalmatia only 417 of a quota of 1,840 were hired.

INDUSTRIAL MANPOWER IN SERBIA -- Red, No 146, 1728ep 48

Between 10 February and 10 August, 1,200 new workers from the Pozarevac district entered industry. Three hundred new workers were needed in August for the Kostolao coal basin, but ha percent more than the quota wore hirad. Many of the 358 new workers employed in the Kostolao besin volunteered for work in the pits. Likewise 81 of the 85 workers employed at the Elenovik mine went to work in the pits.

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BUILDING PROCRAM IN BELGRADE -- Politika, No 13002, 14 Aug 48

The Belgrade building program, which last year suffered most from lack of building materials, found that the lack of manpower was its greated problem this year. The shift of workers from one project to another, butter organization, more use of machines, and voluntary labor can only partially make up for the shortage of full-time, paid labor which is now very difficult to obtain. The supply of building materials has improved greatly.

REFORMING EMIGRANIS -- Wolitika, No 12995, 6 Aug 48

The liner Partizanka will arrive from Rio de Janeiro 7 August 1948, bringing 881 emigrants, who are qualified textile, metallurgical, and construction workers. They will receive a gala reception when they land at Vela Luka.

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